

# DIDSBURY PIONEER

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## INVENTORY SALE

While we were taking stock, we found many broken lines. These we are offering to the public at prices that will make them move and move quickly.

Men's Heavy Ribbed Pure Wool Combination Underwear. Sizes 36, 38, 42 and 44. Going at.....	\$2.25
Men's Flannel Shirts with and without collars. Regular \$3.00.....	\$1.95
Men's Fancy pure wool wind-breakers. All sizes. Regular \$6.00.....	\$3.95
Men's Pure Wool Pullover Sweaters. Reg. \$4 up.....	\$2.50
Extra special: Men's velour hats. Regular \$6.00. Fawn and grey. All sizes.....	2.95
Boys fleece-lined shirts, reg. 75c to.....	35c
Boys fleece-lined drawers, reg. 75c.....	35c
Boys pure wool toques, reg. 75c.....	25c
Boys Pure Wool Stockings. Reg. 90c.....	75c
PURE WOOL BLANKETS, including point blankets 20 per cent. off. \$13.00 Red Point Blankets going at.....	\$10.40
\$12.00 White Blankets (moth proof for.....	\$9.60
Silk and Wool and pure wool hosiery, reg. \$1 & \$1.25	75c
Pure wool gloves, reg. \$1.50 Going now at.....	95c
Special for GNE Week ONLY beginning on Saturday. Flannellette Blankets of best quality 62 x 74.....	\$1.95

**J. V. BERSCHT**

"Where Quality and Price Meet"

## Wedding Reception Much Enjoyed

A very enjoyable wedding reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brubacher in honor of their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brubacher. About thirty guests were present. Many lovely gifts were received, which bore record to the popularity of the groom who is one of Didsbury's native sons.

Herb spent many years in the employ of A. G. Studer, leaving to take a position with Swift and Co. Edmonton. He is now entering into business for himself in Sexsmith, Peace River district, and his many friends wish him good luck in both his matrimonial and business ventures.

Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Berscht, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Studer, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Studer, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brennen, Mr. and Mrs. Eluid Cressman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mertens, Miss Lucille Smith, Mr. Ross Ford, Miss Rosie Rupp, Miss Jerene Shantz, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clemens, Miss Bessie Clemens, Mr. Ralph Budgeon, Mr. Dewey Rood, Mr. Mose Dippel, Mr. Ezra Dipple, Miss Anna Mueller, Mr. H. Ness, Mrs. Jerry Shantz, Rev. Roppel, Mrs. Ness.

### BRUBACHER-SALTER

The wedding took place at Brownvale on Tuesday, January 17th, of Miss Luella Salter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salter, of Whitelaw, to Mr. Herbert J. Brubacher, of Sexsmith.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. W. Whitford, of Brownvale, at the home of the bride's parents, in the presence of only a few relatives and friends. The bride was given away by her father, and little Vera Whitney, niece of the bride, dubiously dressed in blue and white, was flower girl. Both bride and groom were unattended.

Miss Salter came to the Peace River country less than two years ago and made many friends in Brownvale as well as in Peace River, where she resided for some months.

Mr. Brubacher for some years has represented the Swift Canadian Company in the north, with headquarters at Grande Prairie, and is well and favorably known in all parts of the district.

The happy couple left on Tuesday's train for Calgary and other points in the southern part of the province to spend their honeymoon. Upon their return they will take up their residence in Sexsmith where Mr. Brubacher will enter into business for himself—Peace River Record.

### Sentence Sermons

#### WHOEVER THINKS—

- He can fool God has fooled himself already.
- He is clever proves that he is not very.
- He is abused injures himself most.
- He deserves pity soon begins pitying himself.
- He can fool all the world has a short career ahead of him.
- He can learn something from every man is a wise man already.
- He is religious just because he belongs to church fools no one else.

He may have a greasy hat and the seat of his pants may be shiny, but if his children have their noses flattened against the window-pane half an hour before he is due for supper, you can trust him with anything you have.

## Big Shoe Sale still On

LEATHER is advancing in price all the time. Shoes are up in price too. Your Chance to save money.

### Money Saving Bargains in Dry Goods

Fine Blankets, reg. \$3.75, sale price.....	\$2.95
Children's Flay Suits, \$2.00 are going at.....	75c
\$7.00 Children's Coats for only a.....	\$1.95
Children's 75c Bloomers going at.....	29c
Men's Coat Sweaters.....	\$3.85
Boys Sweaters, reg. \$5.50.....	\$2.95
Children's Shoes, values to \$3.50, ...	65c to \$2.00

THESE are but a FEW. Come in and see the OTHERS

## Apples Apples

Crated Wagners, Spitzenbergs, Grimes Golden, in fine shape

Fancy Wagners, Grimes Golden, Ontarios, Newtons; Our apples are keeping well

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**STUDER'S**

"THE STORE FOR QUALITY GOODS"

We ship Poultry for any one at any time.

**The Hub**

We are agents for a reliable Jeweller. Leave your watch repairs here.

### APPLES

15 crates of Wagners, for cooking at \$2.25; 10 crates of fine Delicious at \$2.35; 15 crates of Spitzenbergs at \$2.25. These apples are all in fine shape.

Let us explain to you the CHILD'S SAVINGS PLAN



## Picture Framing and Repairing

WATCHES AND ALL KINDS OF WORK IN JEWELRY CLEANED AND REPAIRED

Many Pairs of skates and skating shoes will be sold at greatly reduced prices

### SECONDHAND BARGAINS

Child's Cot, complete, \$7.00; Settee and chairs, \$10; a good selection of player piano rolls, at 50c each. Booker Heater in perfect working condition, \$10.00

**W.H. Chamberlin**

A world congress of engineers will be held in Tokyo, Japan, in 1929.

The United Kingdom now consumes ten times as much grape-fruit as it did five years ago.

Because her husband refused to eat, Mrs. P. R. Clark, of Leeds, Eng., appealed to the police, but was informed that they were powerless to act.

General Henry Knox, the first American secretary of war, died at the age of 56 from swallowing a chicken bone.

La Salle, the French explorer, is the first known white man to enter what is now the state of Kentucky, in 1669.

Kansas was separated from Missouri and made a territory in 1854.

## North End Lumber Yard,

## Coal is Cash

ALL COAL BILLS accruing during the month, are due and payable on the first of the following month.

S. G. WATT,  
Manager.

### WINTER

## EXCURSIONS

### TO THE

## PACIFIC COAST

VANCOUVER VICTORIA  
NEW WESTMINSTER

### TICKETS ON SALE

JANUARY 17, 19, 24  
FEBRUARY 2 and 7.

Good to return until April 15, 1928.



THE SCENIC ROUTE TO THE  
PACIFIC COAST, CALIFORNIA

BANFF WINTER CARNIVAL, Feb 4-11

For full information, ask the Ticket Agent.

J. A. McGhee, Didsbury

Pigmies of New Guinea average about four feet in height.



## CHILBLAINS

Zam-Buk soon allays the inflammation and swelling, soothes the itching irritation. Where skin is broken, festers or ulcerated Zam-Buk is doubly valuable because of its great healing and antiseptic power.

**Zam-Buk**

## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Clarence Chamberlin's third attempt to capture the world's duration flight record failed when he was forced down by ice forming on the wings.

Erection at Washington of a memorial statue of Samuel Gompers, former president of the American Federation of Labor, is proposed under a bill introduced by representative Casey, Democrat, Pennsylvania.

Entombed for more than twelve hours by a fall of coal in a level hundreds of feet beneath the surface, nine miners at Hazleton, Pa., were rescued from their prison and brought out of the mine without a scratch.

The Earl of Athlone's term as Governor-General of South Africa, which began in 1924, will be extended for two years from Jan. 21, 1928, at the special request of the South African Government and with the approval of the King.

"The Repentent Magdalen" by Paul Veronese, a picture which exhibits the work of the great Venetian master in the first flush of his maturity, about the year 1558, has been purchased by the Canadian National Gallery.

The Alberta Wheat Pool has awarded a contract to the Northern Construction Company, Ltd., and J. W. Stewart, Vancouver, for its terminal elevator at Vancouver, same to be completed and placed in operation by September 1, 1928, and having a capacity of 2,500,000 bushels.

Ole Shot, the oldest Indian on the Blood Reservation and the only remaining Indian that signed Treaty No. 7 in 1877, died at his home on the Blood Reserve, near MacLeod, Alta. He was 85 years of age and was buried near his home at the old agency on the reserve.

The official Gazette announces that the king has made Baron Byng of Vimy, former governor-general of Canada, a viscount. Viscount Byng received this honor in his 65th year, after an active military career which ended with the close of the war. He was governor-general of Canada from 1921 to 1926.

Corns cause much suffering, but Holloway's Corn Remover offers a speedy, sure, and satisfactory relief.

Many a reputation has been gained without merit and many a one lost without fault.

The Congo river empties into the Atlantic ocean.

## HEED THE WARNING.

A sneeze foretells a cold. Nip it in the bud with Minard's.

**MINARD'S**  
"KING OF PAIN"  
**LINIMENT**

**LADIES WANTED** To do plain and light sewing at home, whole or spare time. Good pay. Work sent any distance, charges paid. Send stamp for particulars. National Manufacturing Co., Montreal.

## Sorema Remedies Get Results

Sorema Ointment penetrates inner layers of the skin, reaching germs of all skin diseases. Hence its gratifying results in Eczema, Psoriasis, etc. Price \$1.  
Sorema Blood Alterative Tablets, powerful, effective, non-puritative blood purifiers. Price 75c for 15-day treatment. Sorema Ltd., Dept. A114, Winnipeg.

**THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY, No. 1**  
**THERAPION**  
No. 1 for Bladder Catarrh, No. 2 for Blood & Skin Diseases, No. 3 for Chronic Weaknesses. Sold by leading Chemists, or return mail from Dr. L. C. Sorema Co., 114, rue de la Paix, Paris.

W. N. U. 1717

## Foresees Atlantic Air Service

Dominion Secretary Predicts Edmonton Will Be Northern Depot

The Rt. Hon. L. C. M. S. Amery, British secretary of state for Dominion Affairs, foresees the day when Edmonton will be the northern depot for a great British air line service across the Atlantic, north through the Peace River Country and across the Rockies to Vancouver.

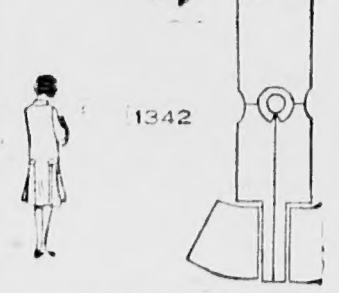
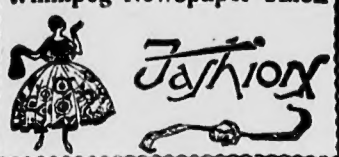
"It is not generally realized," he said, "and only the development of an airline across the Atlantic will show it, that Churchill is as near to London as is Montreal; that Edmonton is as near to London as is Toronto, and that practically all of Canada is nearer to London than is New-York."

Experimental air line service will be commenced in the summer stated Col. Amery, but it will be three or four years yet before there is a regular air line service across the Atlantic and there is yet to be much ascertained in measuring air distances for such a comparison of distances as the fog, the feasibility of an all year air crossing of the dangerous and forbidding territories of Iceland and Greenland.

Passenger and mail service will first be developed, followed by the carrying of precious cargoes such as gold, gems, and the like on which insurance charges are extremely heavy for each hour of transportation.

One huge airship is being built by the British air ministry for commercial and military tests and another for passenger and criminal work is being built by Col. Burney for a private company.

## Winnipeg Newspaper Union



## For Schooltime Or Playtime

This frock for the junior miss is a smart and practical style. The skirt has a flared gore at each side and the neck is finished with a shaped collar. The long sleeves are gathered to narrow wristbands and buttons adorn the centre-front closing. No. 1342 is in sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 10 requires 2 1/2 yards 36-inch, or 2 yards 54-inch material. Price 25 cents the pattern.

Our Fashion Book, illustrating the newest and most practical style, will be of interest to every home dress-maker. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

## How To Order Patterns

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PATTERN No. .... Size .....

Name .....

Town .....

When a woman reaches the limit of her argument she gets angry.

## Chest Colds Yield to this Treatment

Redden chest with hot wet towels; rub on—apply thickly

**VICKS**  
2 VAPORUB  
OVER 15 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

## London-Dublin Air Service

Would Cut Journey From Ten To Four Hours

An air service between London and Dublin is the object of negotiations now in progress between Imperial Airways, Limited, and the Air Department of the Irish Free State. Passengers would fly from London to Liverpool in air expresses. At Liverpool they would change from land-plane to a 15-passenger flying-boat. The aerial journey should be accomplished in about four hours, compared with ten hours by boat and train.

## WOMEN WHO ARE WEAK

Gain New Vitality By Building Up the Blood

There are many women who pass their days in a constant state of weariness. They have barely sufficient energy to enable them to perform their manifold duties. Often they have an aching head, a miserable pain in the back, and limbs that feel as heavy as lead. The whole trouble is due to bloodlessness. No woman need suffer in this way. It is easy to obtain a supply of rich blood by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The new blood created by these pills rapidly builds up the system; headaches and backaches disappear, energy returns and the joy of living is felt once more.

Proof of these statements is given by Mrs. Ed. Lanore, Stony Point, Ont., who says:—"For a long time I had been in a very miserable condition, always feeling tired out, sleepy and weak. The least work about the house would leave me helplessly tired and nothing that I did seemed to give relief. Believing that a rest might do me good, we moved to town, but, contrary to expectations, instead of getting better I was growing steadily weaker. One day while talking to a neighbor, she urged my taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, telling me that her daughter had been in a condition much like mine. This persuaded me to try this medicine, and I have much reason to be grateful that I followed her advice. After the use of a few boxes of the pills, there could be no doubt that they were helping me, and as I continued their use my health and strength came back and now I am doing all my own work and feeling in the best of health. For this splendid condition I must give my thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

The pills are sold by all druggists, or you can get them by mail at 50c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Time was when banks occupied all the best corners in our town and cities, but service stations seem to adorn them now. Perhaps that indicates where the money is going.

**The Friend Of All Sufferers.**—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is a valuable remedy to all those who suffer pain. It holds out hope to everyone and realizes it by stilling suffering everywhere. It is a liniment that has the blessing of half a continent. It is on sale everywhere and can be found wherever enquired for.

A lawyer is the only man who ever comes out ahead in opposing a woman's will.

## HEART WAS SO WEAK Had to Stay in Bed

Mrs. F. Wilson, Lethbridge, Alta., writes: "My heart was very weak, and I had to stay in bed for five weeks with it."

"My aunt advised me to take



as she had taken them with good results after a very bad operation.

"I took them and some time after a doctor came to examine me for life insurance and he said there was nothing wrong with my heart."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all druggists and dealers, or will be mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON JANUARY 29

## THE GROWING FAME OF JESUS

Golden Text: "The common people heard him gladly."—Mark 12:37.  
Lesson: Mark 3:7-12; 6:53-56.  
Devotional Reading: Isaiah 60:1-5, 8, 9.

## Explanations and Comments

I. Why the Crowd Followed Jesus, 3:7-12.—Because of the hostility of Scribes and Pharisees, Jesus withdrew with his disciples to the Sea of Galilee. The opposition of the religious authorities was growing, and at the same time Jesus was becoming increasingly popular with the masses. Great crowds followed Him, for His fame had gone throughout the land. Crowds came from Galilee and from Jerusalem; from Idumea and beyond Jordan; from the region of Tyre and Sidon. One day when the pressure upon Him of the throng was great Jesus bade his disciples secure a boat in which He could take refuge. It was the fame of Jesus as a wonder-worker which drew them. They knew about his wonderful cures and many afflicted ones pressed upon Him to touch Him. Those afflicted with unclean spirits fell down before him crying, "Thou art the Son of God." He charged them not to make Him known. Popular enthusiasm was dangerous for His cause; it might lead to an outbreak.

"What attracted the crowds? His power to heal? Yes. His sermons that were so easily understood? Yes. But above all it was Himself. It was His personality. It was the Christ that attracted the people. And isn't it true today that where Christ is held up to the people, there we do find the crowds, and there we do find the Church taking her part in the life of the people?"

## A CANADIAN RIVER

## THAT LOSES ITSELF

Maligne Riev, In Jasper National Park, Has Interesting Feature

A river that loses itself so completely that no trace of its course can be found for several miles, is one of the interesting features of Jasper National Park, Alberta, which, with an area of more than 5,000 square miles, is the largest national playground in the world. The name of this river is the Maligne—French for "bad"—and given to it because where it joins the Athabaska there was a ford which was much feared by the trappers and voyageurs of early days in western history.

The Maligne River finds its source in Maligne Lake, about thirty-five miles from its confluence with the Athabaska. Maligne Lake is about fourteen miles long, more than a mile wide and the largest glacial fed body of water in the Canadian Rockies. From this lake the Maligne River flows swiftly down-hill for about fourteen miles to empty into Medicine Lake, a body of water four miles long and from a half to a mile wide. This lake, in some places, reaches a depth of 150 feet.

Out of this lake there is no known outlet. At the foot of it and for a mile or so below there is the dry course of what was once a river. But this bed is dry and there is neither sight nor sound of water in or near it. After about a mile, a trickle of water makes its appearance and within a comparatively short distance a river is once more flowing through the valley.

This is again the Maligne River, although from this point to the Athabaska, the volume of water is never as great as that which flows into Medicine Lake. A mile above the Athabaska River, the Maligne hurls itself down into a great canyon, hundreds of feet deep and, in places, less than a yard wide at the top.

## Air Route Via Yukon

Great Northern Airway Is Predicted By Dr. Thompson

The Yukon will some day be one of the main air routes of the world, providing an airway between Asia and Europe, if the prediction of Dr. Alfred Thompson, former minister of parliament for the Yukon, comes true.

"The airway will be routed through the Northern part of British Columbia or the Yukon to the Aleutian Islands," said Dr. Thompson. "With Siberia in the North and China, Japan and the Philippine Islands to the South, the route will be free from fog, wind or snow. Airships will probably be the main means of travel; and stations will be established in the summer months in the Yukon when the rivers are open."

Minard's Liniment for sore throat.



## LESSON No. 19

**Question:** Why is emulsified cod-liver oil so wonderful a food- tonic for young girls and women?

**Answer:** Because it abounds in nourishing factors that are particularly beneficial to people prone to anemia and other conditions due to malnutrition.

Keep your system vitamin-nourished—take

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

## Motor Driven Sleighs

Plans are under way for the establishment of a regular line of transportation by sleighs driven by airplane motors between Omsk and Tara, Siberia, according to advices received by the Department of Commerce. The route to be covered is 200 miles long. Sleighs are expected to maintain a speed of thirty to thirty-five miles an hour.

**Awful Asthma Attacks.** Is there a member of your family who is in the power of this distressing trouble? No service you can render him will equal the bringing to his attention of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. This remarkable remedy rests its reputation upon what it has done for others. It has a truly wonderful record, covering years and years of success in almost every part of this continent, and even beyond the seas.

Savings deposits in the chartered banks of Canada at the end of 1927 totalled \$1,406,000,000 or over \$140 per head of the population of the Dominion.

## Minard's Liniment for rheumatism.

The farthest north police station in the world is on Herschel Island on the Arctic Ocean, a post of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

## The BABY



Why do so many, many babies of today escape all the little fretful spells and infantile ailments that used to worry mothers through the day, and keep them up half the night?

If you don't know the answer, you haven't discovered pure, harmless Castoria. It is sweet to the taste, and sweet in the little stomach. And its gentle influence seems felt all through the tiny system. Not even a distasteful dose of castor oil does so much good.

Fletcher's Castoria is purely vegetable, so you may give it freely, at first sign of colic; or constipation; or diarrhea. Or those many times when you just don't know what is the matter. For real sickness, call the doctor, always. At other times, a few drops of Fletcher's Castoria.

The doctor often tells you to do just that; and always says Fletcher's. Other preparations may be just as pure, just as free from dangerous drugs, but why experiment? Besides, the book on care and feeding of babies that comes with Fletcher's Castoria is worth its weight in gold!

## Children Cry for

**Fletcher's**  
**CASTORIA**





## Why Bald So Young? Cuticura will help You

To prevent loss of hair. Dandruff, usually the cause of premature baldness, may be easily removed by regular shampoos with Cuticura Soap, preceded by touches of Cuticura Ointment. This treatment keeps the scalp clean and healthy and promotes hair growth.

Sample each free by mail. Address Canadian Depot: "St. John's, N.S., Montreal." Price, Soap 25c. Ointment 25c. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

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### CHAPTER XVII.—Continued

Helmi's eyes were two deep pools of wonder and delight. Then, over them swept fear, like a raw east wind.

"But Jack, have you to go? Will you have to leave me and go away to the north? I don't want gold, dear Jack, I just want you—big lot money makes only trouble."

Jack kissed her and laughed. "O Helmi, you will not mind my going. This man I am going with knows the North. He has lived in it for fourteen years, and he has the maps and all, and it's a great thing for me that he is taking me with him. There's hundreds of fellows who would wish they were in my place if they knew. But it is just the two of us and a half-breed guide. We have to keep it dark, because the oil syndicate are watching him. They know that he knows where the oil springs are. Helmi, he told me of a hot spring valley there where the rocks are always warm, and tropical plants grow, and the creeks come boiling out of the mountains. He is a wonder, this man, and to think he asked me to go with him, and he will let me stake my claim with his and give me a share in everything."

Helmi looked at him with deep trouble in her eyes. "I wish you had never seen gold in the sand, and never met this man," she said. "Now all our good times will be spoiled by thinking you have to go. Jack, I hate money, plumes on hat, and big rings and trip to Finland—now I just want you—and my little house to work in—and make nice. Don't go, Jack—just stay with me."

"Poor little kid," Jack said. "I know how you feel. That was the reason I did not say anything about getting married when I came at Christmas. I thought we would wait until I came back from the north, but it's better that we did get married, dear. I am glad we did, even if you are pretty cross at me leaving you so soon."

"Not cross, Jack, but just sad. My heart is cold and heavy, just like a stone."

"Now cheer up, Helmi, and listen. I want to tell you what sort of a dress we will buy first when we get

our money. The color for you, with that top-knot of yours, is green, and you shall have a clinging dress of green satin, with jade ear-rings and necklace, and a cloak of sea-foam green, lined with a sort of flame color that will show a little when you walk. Now, what's the matter?"

Helmi was looking at him in horror. She could see herself in Mrs. St. John's room before the glass. "Don't, don't," she cried excitedly; "that dress brings bad luck."

"Goodnight!" cried Jack, "what dismal old Finnish superstition have I jarred loose now?"

"No, no, not Finnish—but I will never wear a green dress Jack, not even to please you."

Jack could see he had awakened a very poignant memory and again he wondered, wishing the magistrate had not told him. Was he always to be haunted by these evil spirits of the past?

If Jack had not been told anything he would no doubt have asked Helmi more about her past. As it was he avoided the subject. He hoped she would tell him everything, and to this end he told her "all there was to tell about himself. His father and mother had died when he was five, and his sister, ten years his senior, and himself, were brought up in Toronto by his mother's sister. His sister had been very kind to him, and he adored her. When she was old enough she trained for a private secretary and got a position with a very wealthy woman, and travelled with her in Europe for several years.

"And then I seemed to lose her," continued Jack, "for when she came back she had such extravagant tastes my aunt was at a loss to know how to get along with her. She hated our way of living and all our little economies. She made no secret of the fact that she was going to marry a man with money—and she did, a very decent old scout, too, who worships her. I can understand that, too, for she has a way with her, I can tell you. She is good to look at, and she is so frankly selfish. She loves beauty more than anything on earth, and would sacrifice principle for it. Now, she may love this husband of hers—I hope she does—but I know this that if he had been poor she would not have looked at him."

"I must tell her about you, Helmi, and send her some snaps of you. She would love you for your beauty and I daresay when you meet her you will fall in love with her, too, as most people do. But I like to remember her best when she was such a good sister to me—before she went away. I am going to write to her right now."

This was Sunday afternoon, a dull, gray day, with a high wind and low hanging clouds. There was no pleasure in going out, so they stayed beside their own cheerful fire all day. The mountain tops were hidden in the clouds, which seemed to be slipping lower and lower down their rugged sides.

Jack was writing his letter on the table. "I will read it for you when I am done," he said, "and I want you to write too. It is rather nice to have a relative to write to in case of marriage," he said smiling. "I want to show pictures of my lovely Finn girl to someone."

Helmi smiled back at him. Her mind was concerned with the one overwhelming thought that he would have to leave her some day soon. She could not think clearly because of this. Away in the North where there were whirling rapids, deep crevices in the mountains, and horrible roaring canyons; where there were bears and wolves, the possibility of starvation,

and blinding storms and lost men going mad with loneliness!

Helmi cursed this man, this prospector who had put this wild scheme before her Jack. She wished the lightning had struck him dead. She interrupted Jack's writing. "What is the name of this man you will go with?"

"His name is Keith. Tom Keith. He has his home in Winnipeg, but is seldom there. His wife and family live on the Crescent."

Helmi's eyes blazed with sudden Finnish anger. Keith—a prospector—gold on the Nehanni! Again she could hear Minnie, poor little Minnie, broken and ashamed, telling her pitiful story. "He said he would stake a claim for me if I would never tell."

"He's a devil—he's a devil and a liar!" Helmi screamed. "I know about Mister Tom Keith!" and she poured out curses in Finnish which made Jack shudder, even though he understood not a word.

"Helmi, Helmi! What is wrong? How do you know this man—where could you know him?"

"I knew Minnie," she said, quite off her guard in her excitement, "the poor little girl he fooled. He's a devil, I tell you and you are not to go with him."

"Come here, little wildcat," Jack laughed; "calm down and tell me what you know. Don't scream like that; Mrs. McMann will think I am beating you. I may have to yet, too—I can see that."

Helmi stood looking at him—she would tell him everything—she must tell him. She had sworn never to tell, but surely when one is married it is different. Jack would keep an oath, too, with her—it would still be kept! Oh, it would be such a relief to tell her dear Jack! He would be sorry for all she had suffered. Yes, she would tell him everything. Her anger was all gone now, and the happy light had come back to her eyes. It would be so good to tell him.

She came over to him and put her arms around him. "Forgive me, Jack, I am a wild-cat; but it's all for love of you. Have you finished your letter? No! Well, I will wait."

Jack was just writing the address—

Mrs. (Dr.) St. John,  
Chestnut Street,  
Winnipeg.

"I forget the number," he said, "but everybody knows the Doctor. Now, come, Helmi, and tell me who Minnie is, and where you met her; in fact I want to know a lot of things."

Helmi, stood staring at the name, pale with emotion. She choked back a sob by biting her lip until it bled.

"Oh, there is not much to tell," she said, as carelessly as she could with her heart beating so wildly. "Minnie was a girl who lived in the same house in Winnipeg, and she said this man had said he would do big things for her, and he was just lying. He broke Minnie's heart—he is a bad man Jack—that is all." She did not look at him when she spoke; she was afraid he would read in her face what she must not tell.

(To Be Continued.)

Miller's Worm Powders not only exterminate intestinal and other worms, but they are a remedy for many other ailments of children. They strengthen the young stomach against biliousness and are tonic in their effects where the child suffers from loss of appetite. In feverish conditions they will be found useful and they will serve to allay pain and griping in the stomach, from which children so often suffer.

Student (to Professor): "What's that you wrote on my paper?"

Professor: "I told you to write more plainly."



## Indigestion

What most people call indigestion is usually excess acid in the stomach. The food has soured. The instant remedy is an alkali which neutralizes acids. But don't use crude helps. Use what your doctor would advise.

The best help is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. For the 50 years since its invention it has remained standard with physicians. You will find nothing else so quick in its effect, so harmless, so efficient.

One tasteless spoonful in water neutralizes many times its volume in acid. The results are immediate, with no bad after-effects. Once you learn this fact, you will never deal with excess acid in the crude ways. Go learn—now—why this method is supreme.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any drugstore.

### RAILWAY EQUIPMENT COSTS MUCH MONEY

#### One Sleeping Car Is Worth Price Of Five Average City Dwellings

Canada's first railway was sixteen miles long. It was called the Champlain and St. Lawrence Railroad and it ran between Laprairie on the St. Lawrence River and St. Johns on the Richelieu River. It began operation in 1836. The tracks were made of wood and the carriages were pulled by horses. The following year a steam locomotive was built to pull the train and the wooden tracks were covered with an iron surface.

Railroading in Canada has progressed somewhat since then. In 1926 almost thirty-five million passengers were carried by the railways of Canada and it is safe to assume that almost every citizen in the Dominion has been on board, or at least has seen, a modern railroad train.

If, however, the average traveller were asked to hazard a guess as to the cost of building a modern sleeping car, the chances are he would be many thousands of dollars short of the correct figure. There are few who know that one sleeping car is worth almost as much as five average dwellings and that it takes as long to build one as it does to erect a modern six-room house.

Some information on this subject was given by the Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways and Canals, when he tabled the equipment order of the Canadian National Railways in the House of Commons during the 1926-27 session. Some of the figures quoted by him at that time are as follows:

A mountain type locomotive, such as is used in passenger service by the Canadian National Railways between Montreal and Chicago, costs \$85,000; a railroad type locomotive used in freight handling on various parts of the system costs \$75,000; a first class coach, \$34,000; a baggage car, \$25,000; a dining car, \$47,500; a compartment-observation car, \$50,000; a sleeping car, \$47,083; an express refrigerator car, \$10,000; an automobile car, \$2,400; a box car, \$2,700; a caboose, \$3,000; a rotary snowplow, \$61,000; and a wing snowplow, \$10,000.

The Irish harp was originally quadrangular instead of triangular, as at present.

One way to prevent seasickness is to remain on shore.

### Little Helps For This Week

"Whatsoever ye do, do it heartily as to the Lord, and not unto men."—Col. iii. 23.

The ministry of little things. Not counted mean or small. By that dear alchemy which brings Some grain of gold from all: The faith to wait as well as work. Whatever may befall. —Susan Coolidge.

Little self-denials, little honesties, little passing words of sympathy, little nameless acts of kindness, little silent victories over favorite temptations,—these are the silent threads of gold which, when woven together, gleam out so brightly in the pattern of life that God approves. —Frederic W. Farrar.

Fresh Supplies In Demand.—Wherever Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has been introduced increased supplies have been ordered, showing that wherever it goes this excellent Oil impresses its power on the people. No matter in what latitude it may be found its potency is never impaired. It is put up in most portable shape in bottles and can be carried without fear of breakage.

### Old Country Travellers

Canadian Pacific Operates Through Service To Seaboard

A through tourist sleeping car service from Winnipeg to Saint John, N.B., will be operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway, for the convenience of overseas travellers. These cars will make a direct connection with each sailing of the Company's steamers, thus providing a fast through service and assuring connection.

### The King of Pain—Minard's Liniment

#### Travel By Canoe

Only Means Of Transportation In the Superior Forest

Canoes afford the only possible means of travel in the Superior Forest—Quetico Park region along the Minnesota-Ontario international boundary, where the Izaak Walton League of America seeks to create an international park.

It is the only large area left in America South of the Hudson's Bay region where all travel is by canoe. The territory consists of pine forests, interspersed by a network of waterways which provide transportation in all directions and to the remote corners.

## EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Read Mrs. Menard's Letter.  
Her Experience May Help

Chatham, Ontario.—"I want to tell you how much good your medicine has done me. Before my baby came I felt so weak and run-down that I could hardly do my work. My head ached continually and I was so discouraged that I could cry from morning till night. I had another baby just one year and a half old and it gave me a lot to do. So I thought I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as I had read so much about it in the little books. I found a difference right away as my head was relieved and my tired feelings gone. My sister had been doing my washing and she continued doing it, as she said it might set me back if I started to do it again. It sure did help me and I had taken just two bottles when my baby came. He is a fine big boy, now nearly five months old. I am taking your medicine again and I am able to do my work all by myself now. I always recommend the Vegetable Compound to women, and especially to expectant mothers, as I believe they need help at those times."



Mrs. OLIVER MENARD, 24 Harvey St., Chatham, Ontario.

W. N. U. 1717

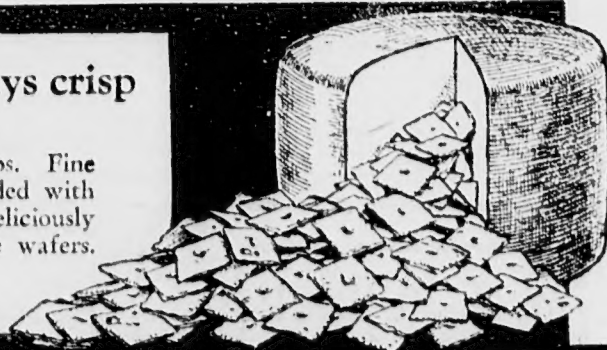
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Meets every Tuesday evening on or  
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Get your milk from a tested herd  
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DIDSBURY - ALTA

#### LOCAL & GENERAL

K. R. McLean, R.O., Sight Special-  
ist, 212 Herald Bldg., Calgary, will  
make his monthly visit to Didsbury  
on Saturday, February 11th. Office  
adjoining Dr. Evans.  
Phone 113, evenings, for appoint-  
ments.

Miss Hester Campbell of Care-  
tairs was a week-end guest of Miss  
Winnifred Studer.

Mrs. A. R. Kendrick enter-  
tained the Magazine Club on Wed-  
nesday evening.

A number of enjoyable afternoon  
teas have been held during the  
past week in honor of Mrs. Frank-  
lin, mother of Mrs. W. J. Derby,  
who is visiting here from Pendle-  
ton, Ontario.

The Y.W.C.T.U. will meet at  
the home of Mrs. J. Reed on Tues-  
day, February 7th.

On Tuesday evening, January  
24th, Mens Chapter, I.O.D.E.,  
was charmingly entertained by  
Mrs. Huget. The following officers  
were elected for 1938: Mrs. F.  
Vatt, Regent; Mrs. E. Huget, 1st  
Vice; Mrs. C. Sharp, 2nd Vice;  
Mrs. I. Studer, Treas.; Mrs. M.  
A. Lowrie, Sec.; Miss Vera Sex-  
smith, Educational Sec.; Mrs. C.  
Mortimer, "Echo" Sec.; Mrs. E.  
Studer, Standard Bearer.

Our Treasurer reported that the  
Flag Tea at Mrs. Sharpe's home  
on January 11th, had been very  
successful. A motion was passed  
to complete the furnishings of the  
nursery at the hospital.

Arrangements for a valentine  
dance were completed and it is  
hoped this dance which is to be  
held in the Didsbury Opera House  
on February 14th, will be an out-  
standing event. Old-fashioned  
dances and novelties will be fea-  
tured.

Among those who attended the  
U.F.A. Convention held at Cal-  
gary, were Dave Irwin and W. J.  
Scheidt, delegates of Didsbury;  
Enoch Dawson of Burnside, Basil  
Atkinson and Hugh Roberts of  
Community Hall. Mr. Norman  
Clarke and Mr. Geo. Burns were  
present as visitors.

Mr. B. Leeson is spending a  
short time at the coast.

"The Rough Riders" a Paramount  
picture, will be shown at the Opera  
House on Saturday, January 28th.

On Friday, February 3rd, a big  
dance will be held at the Didsbury  
Opera House. Music will be given  
by J. H. McGregor and his Peppers  
of Calgary. Don't miss it.

Mrs. F. W. Leeson has received  
the sad news of the death of her  
sister, Miss Gertrude Warner, at  
her home in Vancouver, B.C., on  
Sunday evening, January 22nd.  
Miss Warner had been on the staff  
of General Gordon School in Van-  
couver for several years.

Mr. G. A. Burns made a business  
trip to Hanna last week.

The I.O.D.E. will hold a novel-  
ty dance on St. Valentine's Day  
February 14th. The famous Clem-  
ens-Bellamy Orchestra will be in  
attendance. Fun for the young  
and fun for the old. Everyone  
welcome.

A whist drive, under the auspices  
of the Rebecca Lodge, will be held  
in the I.O.O.F. hall on Wednesday  
February 1st. Admission 50c each  
lunch served.

On Wednesday, February 1st,  
Ramon Navarro, the star of "Ben  
Hur", will play in his latest success  
"The Road to Romance."

#### Bergen-Niche Valley

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davidson  
are spending a few months in Scot-  
land. They sailed last December.

Mr. Dave Allen has sold out and  
gone to Poyette, Wisconsin, where  
his mother is now living. We are  
sorry to lose Dave.

Mr. Goodland is living in Mrs.  
O. T. Johanneson's house until  
Ben Scott finds a suitable location.

Mr. Neilson has rented the Jen-  
nings place. He is a brother of  
Peter Neilson on the Cornforth  
place.

Mr. Ivor Erickson and W. S.  
McCormick were elected on the  
Edswold school Board. Mr. Ivor  
Erickson is chairman of the dis-  
trict.

A Literary Club has been organ-  
ized at Bergen. Mr. was elected  
president and Mr. S. Dougan as  
secretary.

We were so sorry to learn of the  
death of Olaf Arneson, an old set-  
tler of Bergen who homesteaded  
here and moved to Rice Lake,  
Wisconsin.

Ira Gamble and family have  
been contending with tonsillitis  
and la grippe. They take turns  
in going to bed and doing the nec-  
essary work.

Mr. Steven's truck comes to the  
Valley for lumber and tries to  
make one trip a day, but doesn't  
always accomplish it.

A new store is being talked of  
for Bergen. A store would help  
some if the people had the money  
to buy the goods.

Mr. Davies is coming out next  
Thursday to talk railroad matter  
over with the people.

A brother of Rev. A. Traub is  
holding a meeting at the Bergen  
schoolhouse next week, beginning  
on Sunday evening.

Montana farmers are hauling  
grain to stations on the Canadian  
Pacific Railway lines just north of  
the international boundary line in  
South-western Saskatchewan. Some  
50,000 bushels are on the move there  
on sale to the Wheat Pool. It is  
remarkable that the Montana farm-  
ers are paying the duty and receiv-  
ing about \$5 per load more than if  
delivered to the elevators located  
along the Montana route.

"The tourist crop is the next best  
crop to that of wheat in the Cana-  
dian West," said C. B. Foster, pas-  
senger traffic manager of the Cana-  
dian Pacific Railway, visiting Win-  
nipeg recently. "Canadians are now  
capitalizing our splendid winters,"  
he said. "It used to be our custom  
to decry them, but we have since  
learned their appeal to the stranger  
as well as ourselves and are profit-  
ing by it."

Quebec City is preparing for a  
record winter sports season, accord-  
ing to Jack Strathdee, newly ap-  
pointed winter sports director at the  
Chateau Frontenac. Mr. Strathdee  
comes to his new field of activity  
with a wealth of experience, having  
promoted outdoor sports in the Mus-  
koka Lakes region and more recently  
at the French River Bungalow  
Camps of the Canadian Pacific  
Railway.

Saskatchewan leads the provinces  
of Canada in growth of revenue  
from tourist traffic, according to  
the Dominion Bureau of Statistics,  
dealing with the calendar year 1920.  
The gain over the previous year was  
over 100 per cent., while Manitoba  
was the only other province with a  
revenue increase of more than 25  
per cent. The tourist business for  
the whole of Canada has risen from  
\$83,733,760 in 1920 to \$193,643,450  
last year. It is thought to contrib-  
ute \$100,000,000 to Canada's favor-  
able balance of trade.

Fisher & Edwards will hold a  
demonstration on the mechanical  
end of tractor operating and assem-  
bling, on Wednesday, February 1st,  
in the Didsbury Opera House  
from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Everybody  
welcome. High school boys are  
especially welcomed.

#### Doctor Orders Vinol For Nervous Woman

"I was weak, nervous and anemic.  
Could hardly walk. My doctor order-  
ed Vinol, and I feel 100 per cent bet-  
ter."—Mrs. H. Willis. For over 25  
years, this simple, strengthening iron  
and cod liver has been prescribed  
for weak, nervous women and frail  
children. The very FIRST week you  
take Vinol, you begin to feel stronger,  
eat and sleep better.

H. W. Chambers, Druggist

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Head Office: MONTREAL Assets over \$345,000,000

#### Financial Report

Our Financial Report will be published in  
the near future

Nicholas Lammle  
Rosebud Hotel

Agent  
Didsbury

#### Editorial

I pity no man because he has to  
work. If he is worth his salt, he will  
work. I envy the man who has a  
work worth doing and who does it  
well. There never has been devised  
and there never will be, any law  
that will enable a man to succeed,  
save by the exercise of those quali-  
ties which have always been the pre-  
requisites of success: the qualities of  
hard work, of keen intelligence and of  
unflinching will.—Theodore Roosevelt

Work is the foundation of all busi-  
ness. It is the fount of all prosper-  
ity, the parent of genius and the salt  
that gives to life its flavor. It has  
laid the foundation for every fortune  
in the world. Hated by the foolish,

and loved by the wise, it is represen-  
ted in every loaf of bread that is  
eaten, in every train that rushes  
across the continent, in every news-  
paper that comes from the press.

It is the mother of all democracy,  
the forerunner of all progress. Like  
an ever-receding beacon it keeps just  
a few steps ahead, constantly beck-  
oning on to new fields to conquer,  
opening up new vistas of ever-in-  
creasing fascination, changing the  
whole world, enlivening all mankind  
who follow in its footsteps. It is  
the greatest leader of any age, hold-  
ing greater promises and richer re-  
wards than any other can possibly do.

There is no really contented peace,  
no really perfect happiness, no true  
joy or satisfaction—unless work—and  
its creation—have a part in the mak-  
ing.

#### TWIN CITY

POWER FARMING SCHOOL

Wednesday, Feb. 1st

From 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

in the

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Moving Pictures

Illustrated Charts

Talks by men with factory and  
practical experience. Everybody  
interested is cordially invited

BRING THE BOYS

Valuable prize given to some lucky person

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Twin City Tractor

#### It's You

If you want to live in the kind of a  
town, of the kind of a town you  
like,

You needn't slip all your clothes in a  
grip,  
And start on a long, long hike.

You'll only find what you left behind,  
There's nothing that's really new—  
And you'll knock at yourself when  
you knock your town;  
It isn't your town—it's you!

Real towns are not made by men  
who're afraid

Lest somebody else gets ahead.  
When everyone works and nobody  
shirks,

You can raise up a town from the  
dead.

And if while you're making your per-  
sonal stake,

Your neighbor can make one, too,  
Then your town will be what you  
want it to be,

For it isn't your town—it's YOU.

#### Important Notice to Wheat Pool members

#### Delivery Checking coupons

should be in the Head Office of the  
Wheat Pool at Calgary NOW.

If you delay longer, it may mean  
that your first Interim Payment  
will be delayed.

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6 yds glass towelling.....\$1	Men's fleece lined underwear.....\$1
5 3-4 yds stripe flannellette.....\$1	Mens bow ties, 2 for a.....\$1
5 1-4 yds white Flannellette.....\$1	4 Knitted Ties for a.....\$1
3 yds of pillow tubing.....\$1	4 pair of work socks for.....\$1
4 yds white underwear cloth.....\$1	3 soft collars for a.....\$1
A pair of good bath towels.....\$1	Mens Wool Gloves.....\$1
3 women's cotton vests.....\$1	misses wool gloves.....\$1
3 women's brassieres.....\$1	Mens mitts.....\$1
2 pair women's ankle length drawers.....\$1	Mens lined work gloves.....\$1
3 yds of 36-inch plaid crepe.....\$1	Men's jersey gloves, 6 pair.....\$1
a girl's velour hat.....\$1	
Some sizes in skating boots.....\$1	
a pair of men's rubbers.....\$1	

Potter's English Print  
3 YDS. FOR 95c.

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## CLEAN-UP SALE

75c Coffee selling at a lb.....	50c
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Crisco, 3 lb. tin for.....	80c
Tuxedo Baking Powder.....	20c
Magic Baking Powder.....	25c
Gold Dust, Princess Soap Flakes, Soapade, per pkt.....	25c
Washing Soap, 4 cakes for 25c.....	25c

All kinds of jackknives clearing at ridiculously low prices  
Stock up NOW on your school supplies. No goods will be sold to merchants.

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For full information ask the Ticket Agent, or write

G. D. BROPHY, District Passenger Agent, Calgary, Alta.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC**  
Winter and Summer - The Route to Banff

Covering a wide field of outdoor activities, the February issue of Rod and Gun and Canadian Silver Fox News, just published, is an exceptionally interesting number. Bonnycastle Dale, well known writer for the magazine, this month contributes an unusually interesting story on hunting brant on the Pacific and Atlantic coasts. An enlightening discussion of the Rainy Lake damming proposals is concluded by Arthur Hawkes.

Among other stories and regular departmental features are some splendid hunting and fishing articles as well as informative material on bird life, guns and ammunition, trapping and dogs. Samuel Alexander White's fine series of fiction on the old fur trading days in the North West is concluded with another

thrilling complete story. Another interesting article is one by Robert James, descriptive of the island of Anticosti at the mouth of the St. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burns left last week to make their home for the future with their son, Mr. R. J. Burns, in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Brown are occupying the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Burns, during the latter's absence.

A dog doesn't wag his tail when a cross word is spoken to him, and you can hardly expect appreciation from those to whom you do not show appreciation.

## 24 Years Ago

Some of the young bloods took a white horse and painted it blue.

After some very unparliamentary language was used over the validity of a former meeting, G. B. Sexsmith was elected president of the Board of Trade, I. De Fehr, secretary-treasurer; D. C. Christie, B. J. Smith and M. Barrett as the executive.

"Chick" Bricker was appointed manager of the local rink.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hunsperger and Mr. Charles Anderson spent Christmas at Mr. T. Murphy's.

## 20 Years Ago

Chairman Gaddes and Trustee Weber of the school board attended the convention in Calgary.

Hembling & Ruby disposed of their implement business to Siddons & Myers.

Norm Weicker and his bride were expected home from the east.

A. Studer, Dr. Gaddes, W. Martin, J. E. A. Macleod, G. Sexsmith and E. Weber were appointed managers of the Presbyterian Church.

The prize winners at the carnival held during the week included F. Main, gent's fancy; Cecil Studer, boy's comic; Tom Stark, gent's comic; Bert Baptist, boy's fancy; J. A. Gilmour, best gent skater; Mrs. Geo. Peters, lady's fancy; Miss Kittie Smith, girl's fancy; Miss L. Smith, lady's comic; Grace Ruby and Ruth Burrows (gold dust twins) girl's comic; Mrs. J. A. Gilmour, lady skater.

## 15 Years Ago

They broke boys of the habit of breaking windows by telling them that only little girls who were burning to be militant suffragettes did things like that.

Angus Weicker of Three Hills was in town visiting his brother and attending the funeral of Mr. H. Herman.

Mr. Almon Ward Cook arrived to make an extended visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bellamy went to Calgary, where Mrs. Bellamy went on to the coast.

"Cliff" Bellamy was attending the Rumely Engineering School in Calgary.

The Bank of Montreal made loan to the extent of \$120,000,000 during 1912.

## 10 Years Ago

TEN YEARS AGO

Miss Dolly Stark married Mr. R. S. Shantz.

Mrs. Lorenza Mjolsnes married Mr. Celius Johansson.

Mrs. Phillipson and Mrs. Howe were managing the Red Cross tea rooms.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church held a real war-time food sale; all food being made to war regulations.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Durrer.

Did You Ever Stop to Think

By EDSON R. WAITE

—THAT competition often makes more business;

—THAT stores that advertise are extremely competitive;

—THAT there is no competition between advertised goods and non-advertised goods, because nobody knows about non-advertised goods and there is no demand for them;

—THAT the competition is between different advertised goods because a demand has been created for them;

—THAT for business betterment, business concerns should link up their business to good advertising;

—THAT there is something particularly pleasing about good advertising;

—THAT there is a distinctive character to advertised goods.

Advertising shows that the dealer and manufacturer have faith in their products and stand ready to back up their faith.

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"I can't marry him, mother, he's an atheist, and doesn't believe in hell." "Marry him, my dear, marry him, and between the two of us, we'll show him where he's wrong!"

## Fisher & Edwards will give Demonstration on Feb. 1st.

Striking a new note in the business annals of Didsbury, a local firm will give a display of the tractor they are handling in complete detail. Displaying in turn each separate part of the machine, they will demonstrate the various methods used in assembling, the proper way to drive it under various conditions and at varying speeds, and the most efficient methods used in making repairs. (This latter service will apply to almost any make of machine.)

They will show the tractor handling different kinds of loads and different kinds of work. Not only will the complete tractor be shown but every single moving part in the whole machine will be displayed in plain view to everyone, so that many a tractor owner or prospective owner will carry away a more complete idea of the working of the tractor and the assembling of it than he ever had before and will thus be able to do far more of his own repair work, if he has any, than ever was before possible.

## LABORER TO MAGNATE

From a boy laborer in a steel mill to the head of the largest industrial concern in the world is a big jump but James A. Farrell, of the United States Steel Corporation, has made it.

When his father was lost at sea with his ship, young Farrell was 13 years old. He had to leave school to earn a living, so his hopes for a college education were shattered. At 16 he began as a laborer in a steel mill in his home city of New Haven, working 12 hours a day as was the rule at that time. But he somehow found opportunities for the study of books as well as to gain a thorough knowledge of his work.

Before he was 21 he was foreman of 300 men in a Pittsburgh wire factory, then in turn became a salesman, sales manager and general manager. When his company became a part of the United States Steel Corporation he was placed in charge of the foreign end of its business until he became president in 1911. His recent advancement to chairman of the board gives him the most important place in American industry.

Mr. Farrell believes that a young man should begin at the bottom to learn a business, as he did. When his son wanted to enter shipping as a career Mr. Farrell had him work alongside of longshoremen and stevedores on the docks for a year.

Judging by his own outstanding success, it seems that Mr. Farrell has the correct idea about getting started right.

## MOVIE CENSORSHIP

During a recent debate on the question, "Should there be Federal supervision of motion pictures?" the affirmative was upheld by Canon W. S. Chase of Brooklyn, who incidentally indulged in some loose talk on the subject.

He declared among other things that the motion picture is a school of crime, and attributed the kidnapping and killing of Marian Parker by the young fiend, Hickman, to the fact that the murderer was a frequenter of the movies.

That such a statement is not only ridiculous but vicious is evident to any sane person. In all cases in which motion pictures deal with crime the criminal is brought to justice before the story ends. We have never seen a picture in which the criminal escaped. Therefore, there is nothing in moving picture plots which might encourage a person to believe that he could commit a crime and get away with it.

Federal censorship and supervision of motion pictures would merely add another lot of officeholders, with authority to harass producers and an already overburdened public. If such a thing were possible, any censorship which might be invoked had better be applied to such idle talk as Rev. Chase indulged in concerning the cause of crime.

A real Old Time Dance is being held in the Opera House, Didsbury, on Friday, January 27th. The Clemens-Bellamy will be in attendance and will thus insure good music. Lunch will be served at the Hall by the Women's Institute. Admission will be 75c per couple and the dance will start at 9 p.m. sharp to the minute.



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A leather trace and heel chain between town and McNaughton's. Leave at the Pioneer office.

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### Piano-Tuning

Gavin Spence, having had a serious accident last fall, will be later than usual this spring. He expects to make Didsbury about middle of March. Leave orders at Pioneer office.

### Notice

Power for ironing will be changed from Tuesday, January 31st, to Wednesday, February 1st. This applies to next week only.

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H. W. Chambers

Herr Burchmann of Berlin was recently given a three-year sentence for robbery and laughed heartily, thinking it a good joke. It seems that in addition to being philosophical, he also has a sense of humor. The joke lay in the fact that he had already been given sentences aggregating 208 years, for committing some 500 robberies, so he didn't mind three years more.



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## Government vs. Private Ownership

It does not call for the vision of a seer, or the wisdom of a seventh son of a seventh son, to realize that a battle royal is looming up on the horizon of Canada's national life involving acceptance of one or the other of the two policies noted in the heading of this article. It will be a battle of giants, with not merely millions or tens of millions, but hundreds of millions of dollars at stake.

The initial stages of this gigantic financial battle are now being waged over the subject of control and development of vast water-powers in various parts of the Dominion. In more than one instance these are linked up with schemes of canalization, as, for example, the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterways scheme, and the long discussed Georgian Bay Canal project. Although both of these undertakings must be carried out in the East, they are matters of vital interest to Western Canada.

Financial, commercial and industrial interests in Montreal and Toronto may be interested, and more or less directly affected by the deepening of the channels of navigation between the present head of ocean navigation at Montreal, and the head of the Lakes ports of Port Arthur and Fort William, but the more vital concern of these financial magnates is centered in and upon the development of the huge water-powers which will be made available as part of this canal construction.

The West, on the other hand, is more concerned about the greater waterways feature and the effect which the deepening of the water channels between the head of the Great Lakes and the Atlantic seaboard will have on freight rates, both by water and rail, on the huge exportable surplus of Western products.

So far as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence project is concerned, it is not wholly a domestic matter for Canada. It is an international matter, inasmuch as a portion of the St. Lawrence belongs jointly to Canada and the United States, and the construction of the proposed deep canal system will affect approximately forty million of the people of the neighboring republic.

Eastern financial interests, whose real concern is to secure private control of the vast water-powers to be developed, are busy raising the bugaboo of United States interference in Canadian affairs, United States control of Canadian resources, and are urging all the possible dangers of entangling alliances. The old, worn-out stock arguments used at the time of the Reciprocity campaign are beginning to be trotted out once more, the Old Flag is to be waved, and all and sundry who do not see eye to eye with the financial magnates looking with a covetous eye of this wealth of water-powers are to be classified as traitors to the Dominion.

There is some evidence, too, that, as on former occasions when questions of great national moment were up for discussion and decision, attempts will be made to cloud the real issue by again raising despicable cries of race and creed, and seeking to set one section of the Dominion against another.

Too frequently in the past, with great national policies at stake, the people of Canada have allowed themselves to be swayed by these cries and have been made the victims of their own shortsightedness and foolishness in giving heed to such unworthy appeals. Now that Canada has largely put these things into the background and is moving forward to a development and prosperity unsurpassed in its past history, it is to be sincerely hoped that any and all such ignoble attempts will receive no quarter from the overwhelming mass of the Canadian people; that, as a people, they will put their foot down, and put it down hard, upon any such campaign, the originators of which are the real enemies of and traitors to Canada.

We are not proposing to discuss the respective merits of public and private ownership. But we would most earnestly ask the people of Western Canada to be on their guard, and in the discussions which are bound to take place within the next few years, to keep their minds persistently on the facts of the case, and not be influenced one way or the other by catch cries, sectional, sectarian, or partizan appeals. It is the national good of all Canada, present and future, that is at stake.

## Another Victory For Science

### Danger Of Collapse After Pneumonia Crisis May Soon Be Overcome

Forecast of an imminent announcement that medical science had achieved another great victory was made before the Canadian Club at Toronto, by Prof. J. C. McLennan, of Toronto University.

Danger of collapse following a pneumonia crisis, caused by inability of the body to attain requisite temperature, may be overcome as a result of recent observations in the General Electric laboratory in Schenectady, N.Y.

## The Experience of Mrs. Brown is Well Worth Reading

Peterboro, Ont.—"I was in a miserable state of health, my nerves gave way completely, I could not sleep, had back-aches and was completely exhausted—so weak and sleepy and tired that I was compelled to give up and take to my bed. I was advised to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as nothing I had used helped me. By the time I had taken one bottle I was able to be up and around, I kept on taking it and was completely restored to health. I cannot say enough in praise of the 'Favorite Prescription' for the wonderful help it gave me."—Mrs. Roy Brown, 222 King St.

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## Manitoba Agricultural College Re-Union

### 400 Ex-Students To Celebrate the Coming Of Age Of the Institution

Friends and ex-students of the Manitoba Agricultural College are preparing to celebrate the coming of age of that institution at a re-union to be held February 16 and 17, for it is twenty-one years ago since the charter class foregathered.

Re-unions come with unfailing regularity in M.A.C. circles, but this one, on account of its historic significance, is to be the daddy of them all. A big committee under the energetic leadership of J. H. Evans, deputy minister of agriculture, is making a special drive to get in all ex-students, particularly those who went through the mill on the old site at Tuxedo, now the military barracks. The first evening of the re-union will be given over to a banquet. Efforts are being made to secure the attendance of Dr. W. J. Black, Montreal, President Reynolds, of O.A.C., and Hon. John Bracken, the three ex-presidents of the college. Mr. Evans estimates that at least 400 ex-Aggies and Household Science graduates will be on hand, every one of them cautioned to leave seriousness at home.

The afternoon of the second day will be spent in visiting the classrooms and laboratories at St. Vital. Students now in attendance at the college stand prepared to take the conceit out of graduate athletes who may be harboring any notion that they can still curl or play basketball. A dance at the college will wind up proceedings.

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Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or will be mailed upon receipt of price, 25 cents per box, by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

### Cardinal Gelatin Salad

- 1 package lemon-flavored gelatin.
- 1½ cups boiling water.
- ½ cup canned beet juice.
- 1 cup celery, shredded.
- 1 cup beets, sliced.
- ½ cup Spanish onions, cut fine.
- 1 green pepper, shredded.
- 1 teaspoon salt.

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add beet juice. When cold, add celery, beets, onions, green pepper and salt. Pour into individual molds. Turn out on lettuce, serve with Mayonnaise dressing. Serves eight.

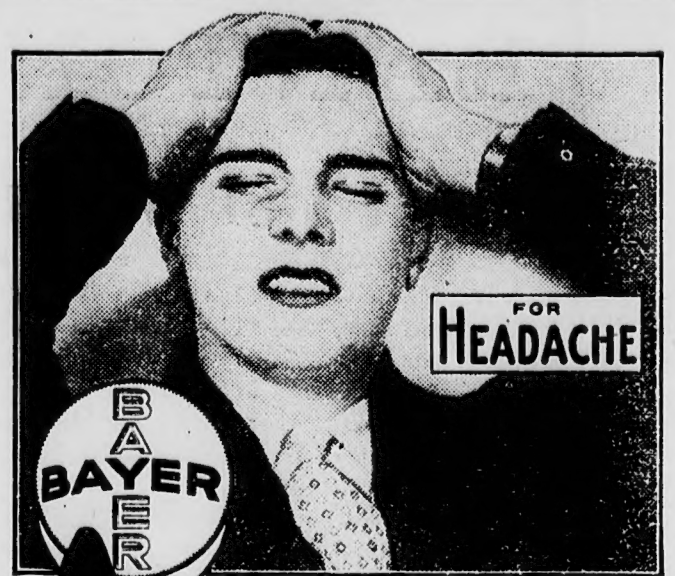
### Fifteen-Dollar Pie

- ½ cup sugar.
  - 2 tablespoons flour.
  - 1½ tablespoons melted butter.
  - Juice 1 lemon.
  - 1 egg yolk.
  - ½ cup milk.
  - 1 egg white.
  - Few grains salt.
- Mix sugar and flour, add melted butter, lemon juice, egg yolk slightly beaten, milk, egg white stiffly beaten, and salt. Bake in one crust, and cover with meringue or not, as desired.

A pleasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

Edinburgh is to be commended on its decision to sell its relics of the Great War, and give the money to charity. Better that children should have food and clothing than have machine guns to play with.

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## Experimental Farm For North

### Establishment In Meadow Lake District Has Been Approved

Of interest to the settlers in the far north of the North Battleford federal constituency is the news that the federal department of agriculture has sanctioned the establishment of an experimental station at Meadow Lake. The farm will be selected, and will be put in operation during the coming summer. The telegraph line built this year, linking up the 55 mile stretch between Meadow Lake and Loon Lake is now in operation, and is already proving a boon to the people in this remote part of the province. With better farming facilities and improved conditions for the settler, a development of the agricultural possibilities is expected, resulting ultimately in improved railway and highway service.

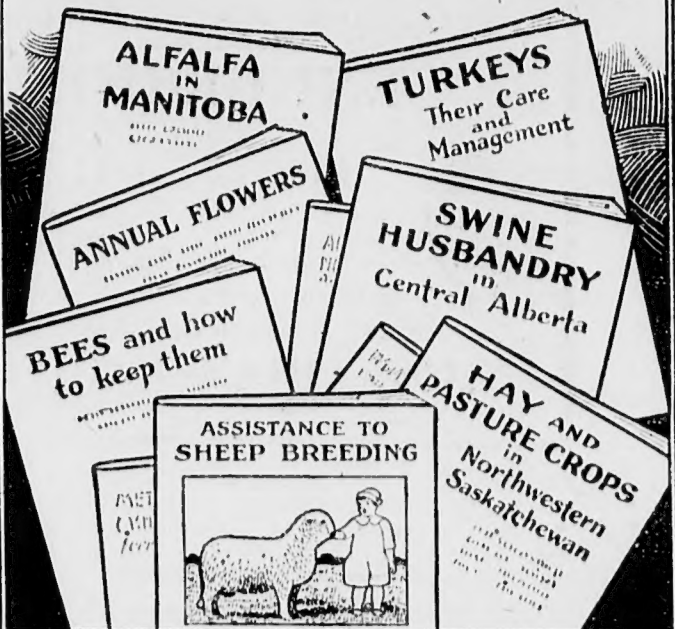
Carols were first sung in the thirteenth century.

## Fur Farming In Alberta

The growing importance of the fur farming industry in Alberta is indicated by the importation recently of a shipment of 27 pairs of silver foxes from ranches in the Maritime Provinces. These animals, valued at \$25,000, were consigned to the National Silver Fox Club at Morinville, a newly organized firm which plans to engage in fox breeding on a large scale.

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## GRADING SYSTEM FOR WHEAT IS UNDER REVIEW

Calgary.—Following a debate during which every phase of the question of grain grading was explored, the United Farmers of Alberta, in convention here, by an overwhelming vote declared their opposition to the introduction of measures which might result in the lowering of the standard of Canadian wheat on the markets of the world.

Two resolutions were presented on grain grading. One advocated a division of grades to provide for increased moisture content, "tough A" testing from 14.4 to 15.5, and "tough B" from 15.5 to 17 per cent. It was suggested the spread in price be proportional. The other resolution asking the convention to petition the Government to empower the Canadian Board of Grain Commissioners to allow a certain amount of damaged grain to go into contract grades two and three Northern. Both resolutions were rejected.

Before consideration of these recommendations, the systems of grain inspection and grading now in vogue in Canada were explained in exhaustive detail by J. D. Fraser, chief of the western grain inspection division, and James Robinson, member of the Board of Grain Commissioners.

For nearly three hours the two officials were bombarded with questions from the floor of the convention. They were requested to show how grain standards were set, why grain from the same field produced wheat of varying grades, the benefits of drying, results of re-inspections, the effect of mixing on the reputation of the Canadian product, and answer a barrage of queries bearing upon the movement of wheat from the time it is shipped to the country elevator until it reaches the export market.

Claims were made that the important task of inspecting the wheat of the country was being placed in the hands of incompetent men who often proved to be "poor guessers." To overcome this objection it was urged inspectors be drawn exclusively from the agricultural population and not from the civil service.

Replying, Mr. Fraser declared all inspectors were required to pass a rigid examination before appointment. Illustrating the difficulty in obtaining suitable men, he pointed out that from a recent list of 56 applicants only 12 had survived the test.

"Trading," Mr. Fraser added, "is primarily a matter of judgment. Naturally every man's judgment is not the same and wherever the human element enters, there is always the possibility of mistakes. In reaching classification of grain inspected, we are solely guided by the terms of the Canada Grain Act and our efforts at all times have been to reach some basis of uniformity."

Mr. Fraser deplored the increasing number of varieties of wheat being produced in the country. Fifteen years ago, he said, when the varieties were fewer, the grade of wheat had been considerably higher than at present. He expressed the opinion that half a dozen varieties would be quite sufficient.

### Television Established

London.—Television already has been successfully established between London and New York, according to L. G. Hutchinson, director of the Baird Television Company. Prior to sailing to the Aqueduct for New York, Mr. Hutchinson announced secret experiments had been in progress for six weeks and that recently "contact" with New York was made on several occasions, it being possible to see the faces and hands of individuals, although the features were indistinct.

### May Study At Scotland Yard

Winnipeg.—The Provincial Government and the city of Winnipeg are considering sending some senior officers of the provincial and city police forces to England to take advantage of a special course of instruction to be given at Scotland Yard at the invitation of Old Country authorities.

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## Spies Are Convicted

### Two Men Are Sentenced In Britain For Espionage

London.—An Old Bailey jury convicted two men of trafficking in British official military secrets in the interests of Soviet Russia and dealt a heavy blow to what the prosecution termed "a dangerous spy organization operating against the safety of Great Britain."

Wilfrid Thomas McCartney, variously described as an Englishman and as an Irish-American, and George Hanson, a youthful German, were sentenced to ten years' penal servitude each on their conviction.

McCartney was accused of being the chief spy and Hanson his aide, in obtaining and communicating information useful to opponents of Great Britain in warfare. While admitting that not all those engaged in the espionage organization had been trapped, Attorney-General Hogg declared the activities of the arrested men had been halted before material damage could be done the country.

Summing up, the Lord Chief Justice said the accused had been convicted of "terrible offences" and denounced them for trafficking in official secrets for gain, uninspired by any thought of serving their own countries.

## Asks For Wider Powers

### Regulations Governing Soldier Cases Not Flexible Enough

Toronto.—As a result of the report of Col. A. T. Hunter, on his recent investigation into the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment here and in Hamilton, London, Ottawa, and Montreal, the minister, Hon. Dr. J. H. King, will ask Parliament to grant him wider powers in dealing with the cases of the veterans, said the Globe recently.

At the present time, it is said, the regulations are not flexible enough, so that in certain exceptional cases hardship is undergone by veterans.

### Would Be a City

Regina.—Formal petition for the incorporation of the town of Yorkton as a city—the eighth in Saskatchewan—has been received by Hon. S. J. Letta, minister of municipal affairs. The petition was signed by Mayor A. C. Stewart and Town Clerk F. J. Pilkington, and accompanied by the usual fee of \$250. The application will receive the consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

### Resignation Expected

Toronto.—The Evening Telegram says the resignation of Hon. Forster Godfrey, Ontario Minister of Health, from the cabinet is expected shortly owing to ill health.

## WAS WAR ACE



Capt. F. J. Stevenson, war air ace, and member of the Ontario Provincial Corps, who crashed to death at 'The Pass, Man., when his plane nosedived into the street.

## Want More Prize Money

### Would Have Exhibition Boards Boost Prizes For Shorthorns

Regina.—Calling upon the Saskatoon and Regina exhibition boards to increase the prize money for the Shorthorn classes at the two summer fairs, delegates to the annual meeting of the Sask. Shorthorn Club here expressed appreciation at what had been done for them in the past. It is with the desire to encourage the small breeder to show at these summer fairs, that the boards will be asked to increase the money prizes for Shorthorns bred and owned within the province.

Jorn Brandt, Edenwold, was re-elected as president, with Mr. A. G. Hopkins, Surbiton, as vice-president, and Chas. Harlton, Belle Plaine, as secretary.

Reports from the secretary and president indicated that the club is increasing in numbers, and that there is a greater interest in the breed being developed in the province.

No annual sale will be held this coming fall, as it has been found that weather conditions prevent a large number of breeders attending.

### Millions For Manitoba

Winnipeg.—More than \$120,000,000 came to the province of Manitoba from the field crops for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1927, according to the annual report of the department of agriculture placed before the legislature by Hon. A. Prefontaine, Minister of Agriculture.

## Liverpool Greet Canadian Farmers

### Miss Cora Hind Replied To Address For Visitors

Liverpool.—The touring Canadian farmers spent 48-hours visiting Liverpool, Birkenhead and other points on the Mersey River, and their visit created considerable interest here.

One Liverpool paper says of them: "They are dressed like Englishmen in their Sabbath best, except for a few who give distinction to the party by wearing fur coats."

The farmers were welcomed on the corn exchange by President Barker, who assured them that Canada's wheat graded as reliably as a bank note.

Miss Cora E. Hind, Winnipeg, replied for the visitors in an address that was replete with information about the Dominion's resources, advantages and progress.

The visitors were received at the city hall by the Lord Mayor, Miss Margaret Beavans. Short speeches were made by many of the leaders in Liverpool's great commodity handling business. Conferences were held in the fruit and general produce exchanges.

The party visited the Liverpool Cathedral, of which, after 30 years building, only a part has been completed and the complete construction of which may occupy a century.

## Manitoba Will Adopt Immigration Scheme

### Bringing Boys From England For Placement On Farms

Winnipeg.—The British boy immigration scheme has been adopted by the Manitoba provincial government and about 50 lads will be brought here this year for placement on farms in the province. Hon. A. Prefontaine, Minister of Immigration, has announced.

Temporarily, the boys will be placed at Manitoba Agricultural College where they will receive training to accustom them to farm work.

## New Ruling At Ottawa

### Fee Of \$25.00 Now Charged All Parliamentary Agents

Ottawa.—Before a parliamentary agent can appear before the House of Commons to promote or oppose any private bill or petition, he must pay a fee of \$25 and secure the express sanction of the Speaker of the House. This is contained in a new ruling.

Now there are nearly 30 such measures on record and proponents and antagonists alike, aside from members of the House, will have to conform.

## MANY WESTERN MATTERS ARE TO BE DEALT WITH

Ottawa.—Western matters will have considerable prominence in the legislation of the forthcoming session of parliament. There will be a large additional vote for the Hudson's Bay Railway and if the anticipated agreement is reached regarding the policing of Saskatchewan, legislation may be required, although it may be effected by order-in-council. In any event, the subject will be before the House.

Alberta and British Columbia also figure in the sessional program and in legislation defining the boundaries of national parks in Alberta. An agreement on long standing points of dispute will be sought.

The re-survey of boundaries made in the last few months paves the way. The fundamental interest in the parks which the Dominion proposes to retain will be the scenic beauty, leaving to the province the water powers and minerals to a large degree. The Dominion Government is willing to exclude Spray Lakes and other powers from the parks, along with the principal coal fields, providing it is guaranteed against future claims by the province respecting any mineral deposits which may be incidental to the essentially scenic portions of the domain. In other words, it is proposed to establish a new boundary and exclude the villages, water powers and the known mineral deposits, providing the title to the remainder is left inviolate in the Dominion. An agreement along these lines is probable. The resources to be excluded would be held by the Government until such time as the resources generally are returned.

Meanwhile, in regard to the latter question, there are no new developments. Conferences on the subject last week between Premiers King and Brownlee are expected to result in a pronouncement one way or the other, when the latter has consulted his colleagues. The Dominion Government is desirous of having the constitutional issue finally determined, after which it is prepared to return the resources, but difficulty has been encountered in getting the case before the Privy Council without some new intervenant. The obstacle arises from the unusual procedure of the federal government appealing a judgment in its own favor.

In regard to British Columbia's case for better terms, a report from Mr. Justice Martin is awaited. The hearing has made it pretty clear that if the lands sought are returned it will not be in recognition of a legal claim, but as a matter of equity.

## Served In South Africa

### Duke Of Richmond Dies At Home In England

London.—Charles Henry Gordon-Lennox, Duke of Richmond and Gordon, and aide-de-camp to King George, died at his home, Godwood House, Chichester, after a brief illness. He was 82 years old.

The Duke of Richmond and Gordon served as aide-de-camp to Queen Victoria, King Edward and King George. He was a former member of parliament and was a colonel in the Sussex regiment. He was Lord Lieutenant of Elgin and Banff, and had been chancellor of Aberdeen University since 1917.

He served in the South African War and was mentioned in despatches.

### Re-Elected To Presidency

Calgary.—Unanimous demonstration of loyalty was accorded Henry Wise Wood in his re-election to the presidency of the United Farmers of Alberta for the third convention here. The candidature of the veteran leader was not opposed. Similarly the United Farmer Women of Alberta expressed their confidence in Mrs. R. B. Gunn, who despite protestations, was persuaded to accept the presidency of the U.F.W.A. for another year.

### Beer By The Glass

Toronto.—The Ontario Legislature will open in three weeks, and, according to The Toronto Star, it is possible the question of sale of beer by the glass may be a live issue at the session.



## STUDYING MARKETS IN EUROPE

Farmers and others interested in agriculture in all parts of Canada are members of the Canadian National Railways Farmers' Marketing tour of Europe which is being spread over January and part of February. Of the 63, more than 40 were from Western Canada. This photograph is of a portion of the party which left Winnipeg, and includes Ernest Raper, Victoria, B.C., vice-president of the British Columbia Dairyman's Association; Herbert Scott, district agriculturist of the Alberta Government, Sedgewick,

Alta.; J. Haggerty, Olds, Alta.; Robert Johnston, Westlock, Alta.; Ed. McConnell, Hamiota, Man.; W. J. Pollock and Wm. Guild, of Kenney, Man.; Parker Perry, W. U. Meacham and J. M. George, Deloraine, Man.; Arthur Farney, La Riviére, Man.; George Batho, special representative of The Nor-West Farmer, Winnipeg; Robert Johnson, Winnipeg; John Strachan, Canadian National Railways' agricultural agent, Winnipeg; and J. S. McGowan, manager of the railways' department

of agriculture and colonization. Absent from the photograph because they went in advance of the party, are, among others: Hon. George Langley, former president of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers, and member of the Saskatchewan Government; and D. W. Warner, ex-M.P. of Edmonton. Eastern men making the tour include H. S. Arkell, Dominion Livestock Commissioner and Hon. Walter Lea, minister of agriculture, Prince Edward Island. The tourists will visit Denmark as well as England and Scotland.



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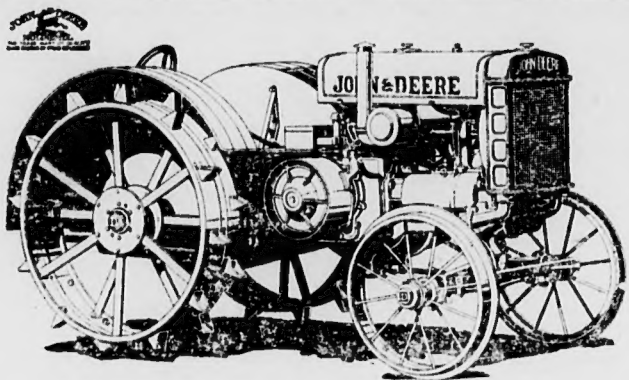
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## Church Announcements

Didsbury is to be favored, Friday, February 3rd, by a visit from Dr. Dobson of Vancouver. Dr. Dobson is the United Church's specialist on Social Service and his theme on this occasion is scientific temperance. A special request was put in for this visit and all interested are asked to keep this date. There will be no financial appeal. The Mennonite Church has been secured for the occasion. The hour is 8 p.m. It is a united meeting in the interests of temperance.

### Evangelical Notes

The League of Christian Endeavour will have charge of the evening service next Sunday. Several topics in vital themes will be dealt with by the young people. The Sunday School orchestra will assist with the musical side of the evening's program. A good attendance is expected.

A week from Sunday is the first of a series of special meetings. Rev. W. W. Krueger, P. E., will be the speaker for the present quadrennium. "Evangelism" is one denominational motto by order of the Board of Bishops and we solicit the prayerful co-operation of every member of the local church in this behalf.

### Knox & Westcott

Communion will be observed at Knox, Didsbury, on Sunday, January 29th, and at Westcott on February 5th.

For a short time it will be necessary to have services on alternate Sundays. No services will be held this Sunday.

Lone Pine Hall. Sunday School at 2 p.m., Church at 3 p.m.

Knox and Westcott are planning to observe the annual meeting on Monday, February 6th. A supper will be served at Didsbury at 6:30 p.m., and will be followed by a short business meeting and social.

### Lutheran Church

January 29th.

St. Paul's, Westcott at 10:30 a.m. in German. Subject: "Our Duty to our Children."

The dates announced for the India lecture have now definitely been set for January 29th and 30th. On the former day, Sunday next, two lectures will be given at the Baptist Church in Didsbury, 2:30 and 8 p.m., in German and English at Westcott. At all gatherings an offering will be taken to defray expenses. Miss A. Helwinkle, who will give the lecture, is herself an active worker on the India Mission field, and according to a recent letter, handles the subject marvelously well.

### ST. CYPRIAN'S (Church of England)

Priest-in-charge, Rev. H. Clay,  
Box 157, Olds.

First Sunday in the month—Afternoon at 3:00 p.m.

Third Sunday in month—Morning at 11:00 a.m.

School is held every Sunday.

### WORSE THAN WAR

Whatever else may happen during 1928, it is a practical certainty that more than 25,000 American will be killed in traffic accidents, and another 100,000 injured.

It is strange that the awful death toll of automobiles does not serve as a warning to automobile drivers and pedestrians alike, but it appears that it does not. While a slight lessening of the accident rate in proportion to the number of cars in use has been noted, the total number of casualties has steadily increased.

Many persons who worry over perils or minor dangers of other sorts will take chances on the highways which are bound to sooner or later end in disaster.

As recent statistics show, three times as many casualties result from automobile accidents in a single year as were suffered by United States forces during the entire World War. The war cost more lives, but the automobile is responsible for more injured.

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### HOCKEY NOTES

Some time ago, a gentleman of our acquaintance brought to us a recipe for the curing of lice on cattle, claiming that it had worked successfully wherever it had been tried. It seems a trifle fantastic and only our belief in the gentleman himself allowed us to publish it.

It is asserted that lice on cattle travel around the body every so often, to feed on the eye and nose liquids and that in travelling, they pass over the top of the head to reach their destination. The recipe we referred to, is to take 1/5 of an ounce of powdered calomel, place it on the animal's head, between the horns, and rub it in. It is a very simple thing to do, yet it is said that in the course of from three to six weeks a cow will be giving two and three times the amount of milk and that there won't be a louse on the entire body.

### FISH STORY FOR 1928

An explorer, working on the West Indian ocean floor, soaked his anglerworms in Haiti whisky. Jabbing a worm on in the usual way, he made a perfect cast and almost immediately a mighty commotion arose. Pulling in his line, he found a large trout hanging on his hook. But contrary to the usual thing, the trout's eyes were bulging in shocked amazement the whisky-soaked anglerworm had seized the fish by the throat and had wrapped its length around the fish's throat with a strangle-hold usually attributed to the boa-constrictor!

On Monday night the team from Innisfail came down to battle with the home crowd, but their battle was out of order or something, for they didn't seem to connect just right, somehow at all.

Charlie Cook, as per usual, gave his regular spirited support, while Evans did nearly as well. But to our mind, the outstanding player on the ice was none other than our new cage-keeper, Elmer Marks, who stepped into the breach time and time again to resist the onslaughts of the Northmen. Clint Reiber and Cecil Studer, together with Jack McElroy again proved to be unwelcome to the striking forwards on the other side, with Clint and Jack making periodic trips down the ice and ripping their way down in great style, although they were never fortunate enough to register. Lloyd Liesemer played a tricky game, and hammered the net time after time, but with small success.

Mrs. Charles Hartley holds the most responsible financial position attained by an English woman, being a director of the Belgravia Trust Company of London.

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